

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH**

**CWP No.19087 of 2016
Date of decision: 15.09.2016**

Gurdeep Singh and others

... Petitioners

Vs.

State of Punjab and others

... Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE RAMESHWAR SINGH MALIK

Present: Ms. Naiya Gill, Advocate
for the petitioners.

Mr. N.P.S. Mann, Advocate
for the caveator-respondent No.5.

RAMESHWAR SINGH MALIK, J. (ORAL)

Feeling aggrieved against the appellate order dated 19.05.2016 (Annexure P-9) passed by the appellate authority, dismissing the appeal of the petitioners, upholding their suspension order dated 18.12.2015 (Annexure P-7), they have approached this Court, by way of present writ petition under Article 226/227 of the Constitution of India, seeking a writ in the nature of certiorari, for quashing the impugned orders.

After arguing the case for some time, learned counsel for the petitioners submits that she does not intend to press this petition on merits at this stage. She further submits that since the regular inquiry is pending against the petitioners, they would be satisfied in case the competent authority, who is conducting the regular inquiry, is directed to expedite the regular inquiry and conclude the same within a reasonable time.

Having heard the learned counsel for the petitioners and without expressing any opinion on merits of the case, lest it should prejudice the rights of either of the parties, present writ petition is disposed of, with a direction to the Inquiry Officer, who is stated to be Additional Deputy Commissioner (D), Mohali to expedite the inquiry proceedings and conclude the same, at an early date so that the sword of suspension may not be kept hanging on the head of the petitioners for undue long period.

With the abovesaid observations made and directions issued, present writ petition stands disposed of.

[RAMESHWAR SINGH MALIK]
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Whether speaking/reasoned Yes/No

Whether reportable Yes/No